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SUBJECT: INDIAN OCEAN TASK GROUP

REF: A. TEHRAN 8507

B. JCS 041947Z DEC

1. WE DO NOT KNOW WHETHER JCS REFTEL WAS PREPARED PRIOR TO READING OF PARA 1C OF TEHRAN 8507, BUT PROVISION FOR APPARENTLY ELABORATE COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT UNIT AT BANDAR ABBAS DOES NOT STRIKE US AS RESPONSIVE TO GOI'S DESIRE TO LIMIT US PRESENCE AT THAT LOCATION. WE ARE NOT ABLE TO DEFINE WHAT CONSTITUTES A QUOTE US BASE UNQTE AND WE DOUBT THAT GOI WOULD WANT TO HAVE TO DRAW LINE ON EXCESSIVE US PRESENCE. IT IS USG RESPONSIBILITY, THEREFORE, TO RESPECT IRANIAN SENSITIVITIES AND TO SEND TO BANDAR ABBAS ONLY THOSE PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT THAT ARE NECESSARY RPT NECESSARY, NOT THOSE THAT ARE CONVENIENT OR DESIRABLE. THIS MUST BE A TRULY AUSTERE OPERATION.

2. SEE ALSO OUR CABLE ON FUEL PROBLEM.
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